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Sir:

In reply to the final Office action dated January 25, 2006, for which Applicant requests an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136(a) for one month, from April 25, 2006 to May 25, 2006, and following an interview with the Examiner on May 16, 2006, please enter the following amendment.

Concurrently herewith, Applicants are filing a Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR §1.114, for which the instant paper is a submission under §1.114(c).

Upon entry of the amendment, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.